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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In accordance with MPEP 609 and 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicant brings the attached references to the Examiner's attention and requests that they be considered and made of record in this application. A copy of European Search Report of the corresponding European Application No. 05 72 7006.8 is attached hereto.

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Prompt examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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